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## Two Baseball Tournaments and Auto Race Feature Fair

### TEN BASEBALL TEAMS ENTER TOURNAMENTS

Games Every day of the Fair. Edmonton Man will Umpire all Contests. Final Games Wednesday Afternoon and Evening

Ten baseball teams have entered in the two big tournaments to take place at the fair next week, and the fans will have an opportunity of seeing a bunch of good ball games.

Mirror, Camrose, Wetaskiwin, Ponoka and Lacombe will line up in the open tournament, while in the country competition Hard Lake, Gwynne, Lewisville, Cherry Grove and Asker will cavort around the ball pasture.

Starting Monday afternoon there will be baseball every day. P. Dyer of Edmonton will be the umpire. Following is the draw:

Monday, July 30th  
Afternoon game: 2 o'clock  
Hard Lake vs. Gwynne  
Evening game: 6:30 o'clock  
Cherry Grove vs. Asker  
Tuesday, July 31st  
Morning game: 10 o'clock  
Lewisville vs. winners of Hard Lake and Gwynne  
Afternoon game: 2 o'clock  
Camrose vs. Mirror  
Evening game: 6:30 o'clock  
Ponoka vs. Wetaskiwin  
Wednesday, August 1st  
Morning game: 10 o'clock  
Lacombe vs. winner of Camrose and Mirror

### SEES A HALF BILLION CROP

Winnipeg, July 25.—A 500,000,000 bushel wheat crop for western Canada was the prediction made by Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National railway, in an interview today upon his arrival from the west after a comprehensive tour of the three prairie provinces.

"I am not an expert on crop estimates," said Sir Henry, "but from reliable advice given me, as well as from the general experience of the crops I have seen everywhere I look for a total yield of wheat in western Canada of 500,000,000 bushels and the yield of other grains will be proportionately high. This looks like the result to expect unless some unforeseen disaster occurs within the next four weeks. Every day lessens the probability of serious misfortune to the grain fields."

"This grand crop, which certainly deserves the name of 'bumper' if ever a crop deserved such a name, will have a most beneficial effect on business and trade generally. It will mean nearly \$500,000,000 of added wealth when all other grains and farm produce are considered. This will be real money and it cannot vanish like mist. It cannot be eaten; it will not be thrown away, and consequently it will flow in the channels of legitimate trade and will have a stimulating influence on every legitimate industry and enterprise."

### Peace Sunday Will Be Observed Throughout Canada Next Sunday

Ottawa, July 25.—Sunday next, July 29, will be observed in Canada as Peace Sunday. The League of Nations has received a large number of requests for literature during the past week, so that there is no doubt that the league's work will be dealt with quite extensively in the pulpits.

### GOPHER TAIL CERTIFICATES

The contestants in the U.F.A. gopher tail contest are asked to hand in their certificates of the number of gopher tails to the secretary, Mr. R. B. Balthorn, not later than Monday, July 30th.

Don't forget the big baseball tournament at the Fair.

### FIFTEEN COUNTRY FAIRS IN ALBERTA ARE CANCELLED

Fifteen of the country fairs in Alberta have been cancelled for their dates and will not be held this year, while two others will meet at later dates than first arranged. The list of cancellations is as follows: Fort Saskatchewan, Raymond, Chinook, Richdale, Sedgewick, Paddle River, Monoway, Donald, Spirit River, Peace River, Edmonton, Coronation, Irma, Stettler and Thorhild.

Hanna is changing its date from August 7 to September 5, and Lacombe and Retlaw, scheduled for the first week of August, will be postponed to September, date not yet decided.

A few other cancellations are still expected, but with the exception of the dead list already on file the main part of the original schedule of local fairs will probably be carried out. Several of the events, it is said, are to be the best ever.

### WETASKIWIN WINS BASEBALL GAME

The Wetaskiwin baseball team went to Gwynne on Monday evening for a friendly game with the team of that district, and came off victorious with a score showing a good margin. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning on account of darkness. The batteries for Gwynne were Hegstrom and Johnson, and for Wetaskiwin, Kadlec and Craig. It is expected that a return game will be played in the near future.

### Alberta Daily Papers To Bring Saprio Here

The Edmonton Journal and the Calgary Herald are bringing Aaron Saprio, the famous cooperative marketing expert, to Alberta.

He will be in the province early in August and will address meetings in the large centres and will also confer with the farmers who are interested in the formation of a wheat pool. Mr. Saprio wired acceptance of the invitation of the two newspapers Saturday.

Mr. Saprio will attend a marketing conference in Saskatoon on August 6, and will visit the larger centres of Alberta after that date. He probably will make his first Alberta address in Edmonton about August 8.

In his wire, Mr. Saprio says: "Strongly believe that Canadian farmers under the proper leadership could organize practically entire wheat crop of Canada in merchandising pools for this year. Will be at Saskatoon August 6 for inter-provincial conference proposed by the Farmers' Union of that province."

"Will go to Alberta and speak in important centres but would prefer to do this after the conference at Saskatoon."

### PROMOTIONS AT WEILER SCHOOL

The following is a list of the pupils of the Weiler school who were promoted at the end of June:

- Grade I Jr.:  
Angela Anderson  
Grade I to II:  
Edward Walters  
Grade II to III (promoted in April):  
Gordon Anderson, 81  
Fred Walters, 64  
Grade IV to V:  
Ernest Walters, 83  
Moran Rodman, 75  
Grade V to VI:  
Wilbur Redman, 61  
Albert Grinde, 61  
Arthur Walters, 56  
(Promoted in April)  
Bernice Reed, 71  
Ernest Pearson, 70  
Edmund Walters, 68  
Lorena Reed, 67  
Grade VII to VIII:  
Lily Walters, 71  
Sylvia Davidson, 63  
Grade IX to X:  
Rouben Pearson (conditioned in district)  
Evelyn Reed 69  
Dora Davidson 68

Wetaskiwin Fair, July 30, 31, August 1.

### OBITUARY

#### LUDWIG LESHARD

There passed away at his home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leshard, Brightview, at the age of fourteen years, Ludwig Leshard. He had been ill for only a few days with diphtheria, which was the cause of the demise. The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon, the interment being in the Brightview cemetery.

#### JOHN ERIC SJOGREN

Another old-time resident of the district passed away on Saturday last in the person of Mr. John Eric Sjogren. He was aged seventy years and one month, and was a native of Sweden. His wife, predeceased him some years ago, and he was living alone on his farm near Padam. Some days ago he met, with an accident, which was probably more serious than his friends thought, as he was found lying in his shack on Saturday with life extinct. He leaves a son in the Padam district. The funeral took place on Monday, interment being in the Padam cemetery.

#### MRS. THOMPSON

It is our sad duty this week to record the passing of Mrs. Zella Ann Thompson, which sad event took place at the Wetaskiwin hospital on Sunday last. She had been a patient here for several months and was brought to Wetaskiwin for treatment. She was born in Ontario and was aged sixty-eight years. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, two sons and daughters. The funeral was held on Tuesday, service being conducted by Rev. A. L. Little of Wetaskiwin. Interment took place in the Milliet cemetery, a large number of friends being in attendance to pay their last tribute of respect to the departed.

### DELOREME CASE MUST BE HEARD AGAIN IN FALL

Montreal, July 25.—Ten citizens of Montreal, called to state whether Rev. Adolphe Delorme was guilty of having murdered his half brother, Raoul, decided after hearing the evidence, addresses by counsel for the defence and for the crown, and the summing up by Chief Justice Sir Francis Lemieux, in the court of the king's bench, that he was guilty of the murder.

Two citizens, the remainder of the jury, refused to agree with their fellows, and the disagreement being persisted in, the jury was discharged this afternoon by His Lordship. Application for bail, made by A. Tashereau, counsel for the defence, was promptly dismissed by the bench.

It was not until it was very clear that there was no hope of agreement that His Lordship reluctantly dismissed the jury. The dismissal followed the second report of disagreement reported during the day.

The cost to the taxpayers of the province will be over \$40,000, court told and disagreement means that the people will be liable for a similar cost later on.

### Two Cured at Revival

Saskatoon, July 19.—Two women suffering from long standing infirmities were apparently cured at a pentecostal revival meeting here tonight. Mrs. Matthew Hart, 70, toward the close of the meeting, jumped to her feet and threw away her crutches, which she had carried for two years.

Mrs. Janet Barnes, 66, of Old Battleford, when the meeting closed in excitement, loudly declared she had recovered her hearing, lost for twenty years.

### Competition is a good thing; it makes us a little more polite than we should be if we had things all our own way.

J. P. Smith, aged 41, a traveler of Camrose, was killed seven miles south of Foreburg, when his car skidded and went over a 20-foot embankment. He was pinned beneath the car, in three foot of water.

### ALBERTA COAL TO MOVE EAST AS EXPERIMENT

Within a short time Alberta coal will be rolling eastward as a result of the agreement between the provincial government and the Canadian National railway to ship at least 4000 tons of coal to Ontario by way of an experiment, at a price to compete with American anthracite in that market.

Premier Greenfield announced on Monday that Commissioner Stutchbury of the mines branch, had completed arrangements with Canadian National officials and mine operators in various Alberta fields for shipping coal eastward without delay, the railway rate to be \$7 a ton for the experimental shipments.

Mr. Stutchbury states that he plans to distribute the test shipments as widely as possible in important Ontario points for the purpose of establishing the value of Alberta coal practically all over that province. While the railway officials have definitely announced that a permanent freight rate of \$7 a ton is impossible it is likely that the Canadian National will not object to transporting experimental shipments somewhat in excess of 4,000 tons if the government deems it advisable.

Premier Greenfield has not yet been advised by the Canadian Pacific whether that company will co-operate in these experimental shipments at the \$7 freight rate to Ontario. He expects to hear from vice president D. C. Coleman on the matter within the next day or so.

### HOSPITAL BOARD'S REGULAR MEETING

A regular meeting of the hospital board was held on Wednesday evening with Chairman C. Smith, Mrs. Hogan, Mrs. Rodell, and Messrs. Montgomery, Johnson, Berry, Gotthard and Newville present.

The secretary was instructed to write the Minimum Wage board and state that as the hospital cannot afford to pay the increases in salaries at the present time, it cannot see its way clear to do as requested.

The supplementary agreement between the hospital board and the Bigstone municipality was approved by the provincial department of health was confirmed, and the document was attached to the original agreement with the Bigstone district.

A letter from the Milliet cemetery declining to enter into an agreement, but offering to assist in collecting of accounts, was received and filed.

Miss Moore, the matron, submitted her report for June, stating that the number of hospital days was 456, and the amount of fees for the month \$705. The secretary was instructed to write municipal districts and others re uncollected accounts.

It was agreed that the doctors be supplied with sutures free of charge. Chairman Smith gave a detailed report re the cost of operation for the month and stated that, after considering all revenues and expenditures, there should be a surplus for June of \$239.65. This report was adopted.

H. H. Newville on behalf of Mrs. Hogan and himself, submitted a report of the visiting committee for June, which was adopted. Mr. Berry and Mrs. Rodell were appointed visiting committee for July.

Mrs. Hogan submitted the report of the house committee, mentioning that H. H. Newville on behalf of Mrs. Hogan and himself, submitted a report of the visiting committee for June, which was adopted.

Accounts to the amount of \$682.25 were passed for payment. The secretary was instructed to send the doctors in town an account for \$25 for one year's rent of the X-ray room from last fall.

Meeting adjourned.

### MILLET W.I.

Come and celebrate your birthday at the community hall on Saturday evening, Aug. 4th. The entertainment part is in the hands of a live committee, and we can assure you of a good time. See posters for further particulars.

Don't forget the big baseball tournament at the Fair.

### AUTOMOBILE RACE FOR FORD CHALLENGE TROPHY

Ted Reynolds of Wetaskiwin, and L. O. Archer of Edmonton, will Compete. Track is Being Scraped and this will be Thrilling Event

A big attraction at the fair next week will be a five mile matched automobile race between Ted Reynolds of Wetaskiwin and L. O. Archer of Edmonton.

### LIBERALS ARE GETTING READY FOR THE NEXT ALTA. ELECTION

The Liberal members of the legislature north of Red Deer and a number of the Liberal defeated candidates of the last provincial election met at the home of the Liberal leader, Hon. J. R. Boyle, in the city of Edmonton, on Friday afternoon to consider organization. Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of the interior, was present.

It was decided to establish an organization office in Edmonton to carry on the work of organization for the central and northern parts of the province, and a committee consisting of members of the legislature, with Mr. Boyle as chairman, was appointed to carry the scheme into effect.

Mr. Boyle states that it is the intention of the party to thoroughly organize the whole province this year so as to be ready for a provincial election whenever it comes. He says that all signs indicate that the people are rapidly giving confidence in the Greenfield government and that at the first opportunity they will turn them out of office and elect a Liberal administration to power.

A similar meeting was held at the Palliser hotel, Calgary, Monday for southern Alberta.

### PONOKA INVADED BY 500 INDIANS; NO SCALPS TAKEN

Ponoka, July 20.—The Cree Indians from the Robt. Lake reserve invaded the town on Thursday for the peaceful purpose of spending their recently received treaty money. There are over 500 in the band, which camped on the west bank of the Battle River. Thursday afternoon is the civic hall holiday. However the business men forgot about it in the rush of business. It is seldom, if ever, that an Indian thinks of buying food until near the end of resources. One luck came into a Ponoka store at 7:30 a.m., in fact he had been sitting on the steps waiting for it to open, and bought three pairs of dress boots for himself, and three shawls for someone else, the whole totalling \$35. On leaving he bought one can of sardines.

### WESTERN MEETINGS ON CHURCH UNION

Toronto, July 23.—Executives of the union committee of the three churches which have decided to unite and form the United Church of Canada met in joint convocation here to discuss immediately pressing matters and to consider plans for the future. The committee to make preliminary arrangements for the holding of conferences in various parts of the dominion for the purpose of informing the churches not only of the action taken by their central representatives, but also of the great spiritual realities and missionary ideals underlying union, was named.

Rev. Dr. J. R. Wilson of Chalmers church, Kingston, was requested to represent the three denominations in making preliminary arrangements for such conferences in the west. Dr. Wilson leaves for the west this week.

Farmers in the district of Barons, between Calgary and Macleod, expected to harvest from 40 to 60 bushels an acre this year on all land sown to wheat.

Entries for the Fair must be in by July 25th.

### BAND CONCERT

Pulling against the counter attractions of Edmonton fair, Pigeon Lake and the general lure of out-of-doors on a warm summer night, the concert given by the Wetaskiwin Band in the Angus Theatre on Friday night drew only a fair sized audience. It was, however, an appreciative one.

Mrs. H. J. Montgomery, and Mrs. V. C. French, both favorites with Wetaskiwin audiences, generously assisted the boys with vocal solos, which were heartily enjoyed.

The band numbers which seemed most pleasing to the audience were a Paul Whiteman waltz "Wonderful One", a special troupe selection and that sweet old melody "Somewhere a Voice is Calling" arranged as a cornet solo and played by Bandman T. Wilson with hand accompaniment.

Pr. Walravens—whose name has been linked with band work in Wetaskiwin since the earliest days, and who has had charge of the present organization ever since its formation—essayed and creditably filled the double role of director and solo cornetist, except in the second last number, when he was "unexpectedly" called away by a message from the ticket office, and the humble second solo, (admittedly the lowest form of animal life in the bandroom) volunteered his services as leader; with the result that the other players, smarting under his censure, one after another, quit playing and left the stage, until only the drums were left. The disgraced leader in despair ordered a drum solo, which had just got going well when the other players, grouped in the wings, picked up the beat and marched on playing the final number of the program, with the missing leader in their midst.

One run of six pieces constituted the second half of the program, and made it a lengthy one. The Wetaskiwin band, like the wheat crop, appears to be "filling out" better this year than it has for some time. It is likely that a similar event put on later in the year would meet with much encouraging results from a financial standpoint.

### U.F.A. CONVENTION

The Strathcona federal constituency U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. association convention is being held in the hall here this week. D. W. Warner, M.P., and Miss Kidd from central office are in attendance.

As the sessions are still being held at the time of going to press, we will give a complete report of the proceedings in next issue.

### A Record Egg

There was brought into The Times office Wednesday morning a hen's egg which we think establishes a record. It measured 8 1/2 inches by 5 1/2 inches and was 3 1/2 inches in length. It was laid by a hen owned by E. V. Riva of Twin Creek. We want to hear of a larger one.

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## BAD BLOOD BROKE OUT IN PIMPLES and BOILS

Miss Irene A. Matthews, Stagner, Ont., writes:—"I thought I would write and tell you of the experience and benefit I have derived from Burdock Blood Bitters."  
Some few months ago I was troubled with bad blood which broke out on my face in the nature of pimples, boils and ringworms, and I got so bad I really did not know what to do.  
I was ashamed to go anywhere, and the itching and burning caused such a terrible sensation I could get no relief day or night.  
One day a friend advised me to use Burdock Blood Bitters. I used one bottle and felt quite a relief, and by the time I had taken 3 bottles I was completely relieved.  
I cannot praise B.B.B. enough and I hope anyone afflicted like I was will get the same benefit I received.  
Burdock Blood Bitters is manufactured only by "The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

## THE MAN ON SMOKY TOP

"Think you'll manage all right," asked the old warden as he shook hands with young Maynard.  
"Sure thing," replied the latter. "Good-bye and thanks." Shouldering his pack he turned away up the pine scented trail.

The old man looked after him doubtfully. During his long career as warden in this little corner of the Adirondacks many men of many types had he set up that winding path to stay from May to October, but never before so well set-up, so well bred, so handsome a youth and one so obviously capable of holding down a far harder job than that of ranger on old Smoky Top.

Some time later, arriving at the summit, Sperry Maynard threw down his pack at the door of a small shanty set in a cleared space a few hundred feet square. Adjacent to it was a sort of platform on the top of four poles, evidently a look-out. On one of the poles was fastened a telephone box, an incongruous object in the wilderness, but necessary in the performance of his duties.

So this was to be his home for five months. Sperry sat down upon his duffel and gave himself up to eating the last of his sandwiches and reviewing the circumstances which had brought him here.  
Briefly, it was usual and dull, monotonous. With more money to spend than he had known what to do with and with generosity which had made him an easy victim of his associates, he had led a spectacular career at college. Then his father had died, leaving him his already abundant income.

But he was riding for a fall from the quarter in which he least expected it. He believed his two best friends to be his room mate and the girl he was as good as engaged to. Coming to his rooms suddenly during the prom festivities he had surprised them in unrequited love making while ostensibly having tea.  
Sperry had left the room, the campus, the town. In sudden revelation he had hunted up an old friend of his father's, and asked for a job, only stipulating that it be out of doors and away from the world.

As a result, here he was, the Smoky Top ranger, whose one duty was to sweep the horizon with high powered glasses and by means of the telephone, to report any fires to the fire wardens below.

As May met into June and June into July, Sperry grew accustomed to his monotonous solitude. At times, however, intense longings for the pleasures and companionship of civilization seized him.

It was just after such a period that a gay party of men and women from the hotel on the lake below climbed to his shanty. First came a portly, middle-aged man, puffing considerably, then a younger man, followed by three ladies, two of whom were unmistakably past the bloom of youth. The third brought up the rear and at first Sperry did not notice her. Then, as he caught a glimpse of her beautiful face beneath the soft spots, but he peered beneath his tan. But on the girl's part there was no trace of recognition.

"I say," said the elderly gentleman. "Do you have many fires?"  
Sperry managed a reply. "Sometimes one a day. Sometimes not for a week."

"Why then would you do if you were surrounded here?" This question was from the older woman. Perpetual asking of it from other tourists had given Sperry a ready answer. "Probably be killed," he said cheerfully. He always gave the proper touch of romance to his situation when they demanded.

"Oh," said the girl softly, her brown eyes wide with horror. Sperry could see now that resemblance to another, at first so striking, was really only intermittent—as her expressions changed.

Long after their departure, Sperry thought of this visitor, particularly of the girl and the young man. Were they engaged, or possibly married?

A week later they came again, with variations in the personnel of the party, but still the same couple. This time Sperry deliberately, yet unobtrusively, made conversation with her.

"Just before they left the girl said suddenly, 'I am coming up again.' That was all, but the knowledge was a bright gleam in the dull monotony of his lonely days.  
Many times she came and always with the personable youth, who seemed to have established himself as the girl's bodyguard. Little by little Sperry learned that she was staying with friends; that she was not married; that her name was Barbara. And Sperry, who thought he was done with love at twenty-three, presently reached the stage where his first waking thought was "Will she come today?"

Then came the long dry spell of August. Sperry was kept busy re-

porting fires. The very air became yellow with smoke haze, and for days at a time the lake below was not visible.

One morning Sperry stopped in the act of cutting down a dead tree to sniff the air. Certainly the atmosphere was unusually acrid. A glance through the glasses reported nothing, yet Sperry had a feeling that the fire was not far away.

Running down the trail, he observed that the density of the smoke was increasing. Coming out on a little knoll, he saw an opaque cloud of smoke settled on an adjacent shoulder of the mountain. Here and there it was shot with flame.

His trained eye, however, saw that the wind was taking it away from the summit, and that it would probably burn itself out when it reached the edge of the cliff. Returning, he reported the fire to the warden.

Late that afternoon, Sperry sat smoking an old pipe. Suddenly he heard a rustle in the trail behind him. Turning, he waited. Was it a deer or had someone been foolish enough to climb the mountain, 'menaced' as it was by fire?

Thunderstruck, he gazed at the girl who stumbled toward him. Her wealth of hair tumbling about her shoulders, her expression one of relief tinged with embarrassment. Barbara advanced, a most intriguing figure in boyish knickerbockers and gray flannel blouse.

"I was riding," she explained, "and I saw the summit was all smoky and I wondered—" she broke off in confusion.

"You came up here to see if—everything was all right?"  
She nodded.

"Why that was—well, awfully good of you," said Sperry gratefully. She turned to go. She was beginning to feel, as well as he, the unusualness of the situation. "I left my horse at the foot of the trail," she volunteered. "I am going home tomorrow."

His heart sank. "I am sorry to hear that. Your visits up here have meant—well, more than I can tell you understand. I had gotten out of touch with the world, and came up here to forget many things."  
"Was one of them my sister Evelyn?" she asked calmly.

Sperry turned in amazement. So that was where the resemblance came from. "How did you know?" he demanded.

"Oh, I always used to examine the pictures of good-looking men she kept on her dresser. And I picked up stray bits here and there which led me to think she hadn't used you quite right. But tell me, do you still think of her?" she asked wistfully. "You know, she married."

"Quite the contrary," said Sperry slowly. "The mountain winds have swept away her memory along with many other things. In their place they have brought me a wonderful dream girl. When they rustle in the grass, I imagine it is the stir of her dress, and when they whisper in the pines I play I am listening to her dear voice." The man waited, telling her with his eyes what he did not dare to put into words.

Shyly Barbara out a slim young hand on his arm. "Sperry Maynard," she said softly. "Years ago I fell in love with your picture, and when I saw you up here and recognized you for the first time, I knew you were much nicer than your photograph."

"Do you mean—Barbara?" and on the word his arms were about her. A little later, when he had taken her down to her horse, he gave her the last kiss before the temporary separation. "I hoped to find myself on old Smoky Top," he whispered. "I little dreamed I would find you."

### Cutworms Attack Corn

Probably the first unfavorable news of the season in connection with the growing crops was reported yesterday by W. D. Trogo, secretary of the Corn Growers' association. Cutworms have caused considerable damage to the 27,000 acres planted in corn this year.

Apart from that, however, the corn is making good progress. Mr. Trogo said. "This year's acreage of 27,000 acres is about five times as large as that of last year he pointed out, and generally the farmers seem well pleased with prospects."

Growers had difficulty in obtaining machinery early enough in the seedling season to get a good start. However, from the end of July to September was the best season for corn to get its growth and it was doing very well now.

In the earlier part of the season cutworms had been serious in some districts, one man at Taber who had 280 acres under cultivation had 150 acres completely ruined by the cutworms.

### Movement of Doukobors

Lack of an immediate market for their valuable Saskatchewan land is the only obstacle to the departure of the Doukobors en masse to Russia. A few families left Canada for Europe in March, more in April and between sixty and a hundred will start in July if present plans mature. The spring of 1924, it is said, will see a very heavy migration of this people to Europe.

### RATES FOR GRAIN MAY BE LOWERED

Saskatoon, July 20.—Officials of the Canadian National railways will consider favorably the possibilities of reducing the grain rates from Edmonton to Quebec by the Armstrong, or all-rail route. As far as the present is concerned, however, there will be no reductions. This sums up the reply of Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National railways, when a request was made to him at the royal grain enquiry commission here today whether the rates could be reduced to make competition between Quebec and United States ports possible. Sir Henry said the officials of the Canadian National could not commit themselves until they had an opportunity to consider the matter in every light.

The request, presented formally by Darcy Scott, counsel for the commis-

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American Farmer's  
Purchasing Power Nil

Wheat at Chicago has fallen under a dollar in price and American farmers may lose a total of \$900,000,000 on the 1923 crop. This means that the purchasing power of the American farmers will be reduced to practically nil and that production in subsequent years will be seriously affected. Farmers in western Canada can have no guarantee that a similar economic tragedy will not befall them. The only protection Canada can offer to the incalculably valuable farming industry is cooperative marketing. It is the first duty of government to see that every western farmer produces his grain by scientific methods as cheaply as possible and is then enabled to sell it for more than it cost him. Western Canada should have the benefit of the best brains money can provide to work out a workable cooperative marketing plan for western wheat.

Aaron Sapir of San Francisco, is the recognized genius of cooperative marketing on this continent. He has formed cooperative groups in California so successful that growers who hitherto were only receiving 7 cents of the consumers' dollar are now receiving 55 cents of it. By introducing proper methods of marketing he has raised the standard of living in whole districts in the United States. He could do the same for western wheat—and he should be invited to do it. In seeking relief the west has organized for the economics of politics which has helped no one. It is time now to organize for the economics of grain. Only by applying the soundest principles of the economics of grain through some cooperative system can the Canadian West guarantee itself against the disaster which has overtaken American farmers and look ahead for the first time along a road to permanent prosperity.—Vancouver Sun.

JACKMAN OUTLINES  
MAIN FEATURES OF  
COOPERATIVE POOL

Alberta is practically assured of a wheat pool, according to W. J. Jackman, secretary of the U.F.A. wheat pool committee, writing in the last issue of "The U.F.A." official organ of that organization. This committee met in Calgary a few weeks ago to study the proposal and in his article Mr. Jackman divulges something of what happened at that conference, outlining the main features of the proposed pool.

"The wheat pool concept has a full realization of the importance and magnitude of the task which has been entrusted to it," stated Mr. Jackman. "The members will spare no effort to secure for Alberta the best possible cooperative wheat pool, in the shortest possible time, consistent with safety, soundness and solidarity."

"The provincial government has assured the committee of its willingness to give all help possible, and the cooperative marketing committee of the government has signified its desire to actively assist the wheat pool committee in its work."

In the first part of his article, Mr. Jackman gives a history of negotiations and conferences which have taken place in an attempt to secure some form of cooperative selling of wheat. In closing he expresses the ideal system would be a voluntary wheat pool under which the wheat growers of the world would plan to feed the consuming public as required. The next best thing would be a western Canada wheat pool, but the time has apparently not arrived for that either. Alberta could not afford to wait and a provincial pool must be organized, he said.

The main features of the plan which the committee had worked on are given as follows:

"The association would be a cooperative, non-profit organization, with no capital stock.

All surpluses, after defraying operating expenses, and providing for ade-

quate reserves, would be returned to the members in proportion to the wheat shipped.

Membership would not be confined to the U.F.A. Control would be in the hands of the members through a board of twelve directors, elected by districts. A small executive would be elected by the directors from their own ranks, with a president or chairman selected by the directors either from their own number or from outside.

A small membership fee (not an annual fee) would be collected from each shipper, to defray the organization expenses.

The payments on grain would be defrayed by obtaining a line of credit from the banks, as is now done by private grain dealers. The necessity for this would be gradually reduced or eliminated by building up a reserve fund.

The initial payment for grain would probably have to be guaranteed wholly or in part by the provincial government.

Payment for elevators, if purchased, would be made in bonds of a holding company, repayable in annual instalments; or in cash obtained by the sale of bonds, possibly with a provincial guarantee.

Members would be required to sign contracts to sell all their wheat through the pool for a period of five years, beginning at any time. These would probably be straight pooling contracts, with damage clauses in case of breach.

There would be a separate pool for each grade of wheat, based upon the average price for the year, less handling costs, etc.

As substantial an advance payment as possible would be made upon the delivery of the grain, and a participation certificate issued, entitling the shipper to his share of whatever surplus accrued on the year's business. Participation payments would be made at the end of the season, or at such intervals as conditions warranted.

Each member would be required to file annually a return showing the average season, and an estimate of the quantity of wheat for sale. The utmost use possible would be made of the outlet by the western coast.

Exporting would be done as far as possible in cooperation with similar organizations which have already been established in parts of the United States and in Australia.

In the organization campaign which would be necessary to secure the signing of contracts, the greatest possible use would be made of the U.F.A. organization. Each director would probably be placed in charge of his own territory, and made responsible for organizing a thorough canvass of all resident farmers. Public meetings to explain the pool and advocate cooperative marketing would be held at many centres as possible during the campaign, and contracts signed up after each meeting. A special meeting of every U.F.A. local would be held for the explanation and discussion of the pool. All the farmers present would be signed up and plans made for canvassing the absentee members and non-members and covering adjacent unorganized territory.

Literature would of course, be prepared, and sent out to all locals, carefully explaining all the details of the pool and the contract, for use where it was not possible to send a speaker.

UTILIZATION OF  
FLAX STRAW IN  
WESTERN CANADA

The uses to which flax straw may be put, and to which to an increasing extent it is being put, are commented on by the New York Times. The investigations that have been conducted in Winnipeg have apparently attracted considerable attention. The Times says:

Canada's enormous quantity of straw is now being utilized in numerous remarkable ways. For many years the problem of how to utilize the wastage of straw from the western flax crop has been the subject of investigation and study. Realizing the potential value of this enormous waste, the Canadian Pacific Railway made a careful investigation of its utilization and has succeeded in putting it to productive usage.

The straw was known to have a certain value for its fibre, being similar in this respect, though of inferior grade, to the straw cultivated for the production of fibre flax, but after leaving the threshing machine the fibre value of this flax straw was destroyed, even for production of commercial tow, owing to the manner in which the straw was broken up in the threshing operation. In consequence of this difficulty, early investigations were along the line of utilizing the waste straw as a pulp material for the manufacture of paper. The investigations conducted in this

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connection were successful in every way, and the resulting product was an exceptionally high grade of paper suitable for high class writing paper and similar purposes. This research was carried to a semi-commercial scale, but the cost of production of the pulp was too high for practical purposes.

"Further investigations have been inaugurated by the honorary council for scientific and industrial research in efforts to produce pulp from which a cheap grade of newspaper could be manufactured. These results have not so far been disclosed.

"Today the utilization of these vast quantities of waste straw is nearer to accomplishment than ever before," states the Canadian Pacific railway. "Modern Canadian invention machinery has made possible the recovery of the flaxseed without the destruction of the straw through a new form of threshing machine. This at once removed the old obstacle to the utilization of the fibre content of the straw and sets free and available an enormous new supply of raw material for the manufacture of the lower grade of linen products, which is certain to mean an important industrial development in western Canada in the not distant future.

"Meantime a successful effort has been made in Manitoba near Winnipeg for the use of this waste flax straw by the production of an insulating material which has proved to be an efficient non-conductor of heat and cold, and is being used in western construction work as linings between the walls and under the roofs, to keep out the cold, and appears to have demonstrated effectively its success in these relations. It has been used in public buildings as well as in industrial plants—ice, cold storage and others—and is becoming general in its use in private dwellings.

"While this is only a beginning, it has created a situation more satisfactory for the future marketing of flax straw, and now its use for tow purposes has developed a desire on the part of industries south of the international boundary to purchase the straw and a large tonnage contract was entered into late in the past year and a tow mill is to be erected in Manitoba to take care of this new market.—Winnipeg Free Press.

Further migration of skilled labor to the United States from Canada is shown by the U.S. department of immigration statistics received at Ottawa. During the month of May 3,525 skilled mechanics entered the United States, as compared with 35 skilled American mechanics who came to Canada.

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Duck Shooting Opens  
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The setback in the date of commencement although appearing somewhat harsh is entirely necessary as there has been a big falling off in the number of ducks in the province during the last two years, and observer's reports from the breeding grounds this year state the flocks will be small, although some families of ducklings are already swimming the lakes and sloughs.

The season for prairie chicken and partridge opens on October 15 and continues until the end of the month, with a limit of 50 for the season and ten per day. October has been declared open season for the little Hungarian partridge, but an order in council was passed on June 22 declaring a close season in areas north of the Battle river in order to give what few of these have been released a chance to increase before excessive shooting takes place.

## A Hard Nut to Crack

Stories of canine intelligence would fill a large volume, if not an entire library. Usually in these stories a dog can do everything but talk—but few of them ever related to a dog that was literate and believed in signs as did one dog in the following story from the Cosmopolitan magazine.

The towns and villages of southern California are all called cities and possess a full complement of asphalt streets and "No Parking" signs, as well as signs erected by the automobile club of southern California, containing all manner of information for tourists.

On the main street of one of these towns a large booby dog appeared bearing a large bone in his mouth. He was bent on burying the bone, and at that end he attempted to scratch a hole in the asphalt pavement without of course making the least impression on its hard surface. Ten minutes later he was seen on a side street making another desperate attempt upon the asphalt pavement but without any more success than before. From street to street he went with the bone in his mouth, stopping at intervals to scratch furiously at the impervious asphalt until he finally arrived at the corner of a street where the automobile club had erected one of its informative signs. A resident of the city saw the dog gaze earnestly at the sign for a few minutes, and then with the bone firmly clenched between his teeth he dashed off up the street and was still going at top speed as far as the resident could see him. A moment later the resident looked at the sign. It read as follows: "Six Miles to a Dirt Road."

John Crossley, aged 26, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed O. Bert's soft drink parlor at Coalhurst, Alta., according to reports received at Lethbridge. Bert and his family managed to escape from the burning building.

SUMMER  
COMPLAINT  
IS FATAL  
TO CHILDREN

Summer Complaint is one of the most dangerous diseases of children during the hot summer months, and not only of children, but the old and the young, the strong and the weak are all affected alike.

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Twenty thousand dollars damage was done when fire partially destroyed the plant of the Medicine Hat Pump and Brass company, at Medicine Hat. The company was just recovering from a disastrous fire which occurred last fall.

Immense damage to farm buildings and standing crops was done in the district northeast of Tuxford, Sask., 12 miles north of Moose Jaw, by a cyclone which swept an area almost 12 miles long and almost two miles wide.

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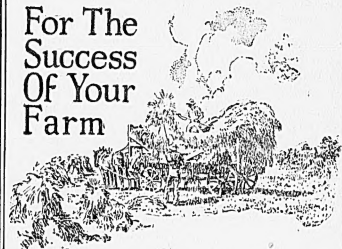
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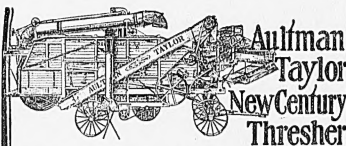
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### A DRAMATIC EPISODE OF PIGEON LAKE

(In three parts—perhaps)  
It had been a beautiful summer day but hot withal, the sun pouring down his fierce rays remorselessly; nevertheless an ideal day for the water and the beach. Now as evening approached, a haze hung over the water and an atmosphere of stillness was abroad, the leaves were motionless in the trees, a hush seemed all around, a curious stillness, as though Nature having exhausted herself was just resting to recoup her powers.

It was the time of the evening dip. All up and down the beach children paddled and gambled in the water, their merry shouts echoing across the lake, while the elders farther out, swam, dived, and otherwise disported themselves, each after his or her kind. It was an idyllic scene, the many and varied colors of the bathing suits seeming to catch the rays of the setting sun and throw them back, and to be reflected in the clear water. Now and again some swimmer, more expert than his fellows, would essay some daring feat, and a burst of applause would be accorded by the others. Everyone was enjoying themselves. The cares of business and the possible overcast at the bank were alike forgotten; indeed to even think of such things amidst such surroundings were sacrilege.

The shouts of the kiddies, now paddling, now playing at pirates, happy, contented, care-free, the evident enjoyment of the bathers, and the quiet pleasure of the less bold, who sat at the doors of the cottages and watched the scene, all combined to make a picture of happiness and holiday making that did one's heart good to see. Surely nothing could mar this gathering of happy men, women and children. It was all so fine. Then—hark!—what is it? There burst upon the happy throng such a blood-curdling yell that could only have been equalled when the Indians were on the war path. Again and again it came sounding down the beach, each time seeming to gain in intensity and terror. Then there was a rapid running down the beach at break neck speed a wild dishevelled figure, hatless, hair flying in the wind, reached the cottage of bathers who by this time had all swum ashore, and literally throwing himself in their midst, blurted between his teeth, "sniff, sniff." His eyes were starting almost out of his head.

### MA-ME-O BEACH

Owing to the fine weather there was a larger crowd than usual at the beach last Sunday.

Mrs. Kingzett and daughter, Jeanne of Leduc, are visitors of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. English. Mr. Jos. Richards with Mrs. Sampson and family, of Montana, visited Miss Vivian Richards at the Walker cottage during the past week.

A terrific hail storm broke at the lake on Wednesday evening of last week. The roofs of many cottages were shattered by the hail stones, which were about the size of a golf ball. However, it did not last long, being followed by a heavy rain, during which the men tried to patch up their roofs. Many people slept on uncomfortable wet blankets. This week there is a great demand for slinkies at the lake.

Miss Nan Enman visited at Idylwyld cottage with Mrs. R. W. Manley last week.

E. G. Grant is visiting with his sister, Mrs. J. W. Somers.

Miss Beulah Robinson is visiting with Mrs. E. Merner, at Don-Morley cottage.

Mr. W. S. English, has his mother visiting with him for a few weeks.

Ralph Walker, of the Imperial Bank staff of Edmonton, is spending his vacation with his mother, Mrs. R. C. R. Walker, at L'Acadie lodge.

Mrs. Weiss has as guests this week, her sister, Miss Miller, and her mother Mrs. Miller, of Edmonton.

While erecting a diving platform on Monday afternoon, Hans Nansen met with a painful accident, breaking one of his toes and injuring his foot. Miss Vold, of the Star Store, is spending a week with Mrs. Fred Black.

Mr. R. M. Angus is building a very pretty bungalow on his lot.

Mr. George Orlich, of Altz, visited at J. H. Walker's cottage during the past week.

Mr. Davidson has rented the Gohard cottage and with his family is enjoying a splendid vacation.

Owing to the rain storm Monday night, the much looked for bonfire at Jowen-Su Camp was postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson have rented the cottage owned by H. M. Parker.

Mrs. Fred Black and family are spending a jolly holiday here, having rented the Ralph Smith cottage.

his lips were drawn back showing his teeth, as he hissed again "sniff, sniff." The astonished crowd all began to sniff individually and collectively. They put forth one grand colossal effort of sniffing. Then very perceptibly, there came upon the evening air an odor, first an odor, elusive and indistinguishable, it gradually spread itself into what was known as a smell, then, slowly but surely, it took on all the airs and attributes of what is commonly known amongst the plain people as a "catfish." It was dreadful, terrifying, like some horrible miasma, spreading across the lake and up and down the beach, threatening to destroy all that was in its path. Those who had not been bathing, the children, everybody, gathered together, four and terror written on their faces. This was something unheard of at Pigeon Lake, and mystery is not a good thing for people on holiday bent. All kinds of suggestions were put forth as to what it possibly could be and meanwhile it was getting worse all the time. Several little nites began to gasp and were in imminent danger of suffocation. Some person asked the rather irrelevant question if anybody had a prescription. Mr. Chief Justice Angus suggested that a judicial committee should immediately sit upon it, but when he was asked the pertinent question as to how you could sit upon a stink he had no ready answer and muttered something about sending it up for trial. Some called for a doctor and immediately there stepped from the ranks an eminent physician, who thought that perhaps it might be an acute attack of appendicitis and that immediate operation was necessary. Others called for Radio Ross and implored him to send out a frantic S.O.S. Some called for a druggist, others for the fire brigade, while the little children went wailing up to heaven a supplicating chorus of Ma-Me-O.

There was every sign of an impending panic. Something had to be done. This was the time for some strong man to assert himself. To step into the breach and save the situation, the time for a leader had arrived, or so the whole assembly seemed to think. A forlorn hope, then, from one of the cottages there issued an athletic form, strikingly attired in a blue bathing suit. With one spring he was in the crowd, and a mighty shout rent the heavens. It was the "maître de maison" Miquelon. Miquelon, the hero of glory past and to come, and thus addressed the frightened company. "Comrades" and his voice rang clear and strong, and echoed across the lake like the voice of a delivering angel, "Friends, comrades, Countrymen! Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the party! We must be firm, we must keep cool, in this crisis. Let not panic seize your hearts, stand steady and strong and we will yet conquer. As becomes actors of a mighty race our first thought must be for the weak and helpless, the women and children. Get them to their wigwams!"—here some irreverent youngster, possibly a boy about, chimed in with "At a boy, Mick!" but he was promptly suppressed. General Miquelon continued, speaking in tones of authority: "Let us form into companies with a captain to each company, and we will not rest until we have found this smell, no, I mean stink, or have perished in the attempt."

A shout that would have done credit to the amphitheatres of old when some gladiator furnished a dainty meal to a hungry lion, went up, and "Go ahead" upon the evening air a loud clanging call of Conrado Africa's bugle sounding the "Fall In." Came sharp words of command and soon order was restored where before chaos threatened. The women and children were safely housed in their cottages, the men were formed into companies and a captain was appointed to each company. Once again General Miquelon addressed the now orderly gathering. "Disperse, and seek ye this stink, but remember, above all be cool and collected for this is a deadly menace that is hovering over us. Whoever smelt this stink? Is it the stink of an animal? I know not. Is it the stink of a human being? I trust not. But we waste time, let us be about our business. Sniff, seek and find!" And so the companies, like bloodhounds on the beach, leapt up by an indomitable captain, went up and

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IMPOUNDED HORSES FOR SALE—There will be offered for sale on the S.E. 32-45-24, on Thursday, August 2, at 2 p.m. the following horses which were impounded about 15th. Bay Mare, 5 yrs, star in forehead, right hind foot white; also Light Grey Mare, 5 yrs, branded F on right shoulder. Both gentle and halter breaker and weigh about 1200 each. Wm. Elkerman Poundkeeper Duhamel, Phone 1511. 18-2in.

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### Impounded

IMPOUNDED—in the pound kept by the undersigned, S.E. 2-45-23-4, about July 4, dapple grey mare, weight 1050, five years no marks and no brand visible. Edgar Thirk, pound-keeper R.2, Wetaskiwin. Phone 121. 18-2in.

IMPOUNDED—in the pound kept by the undersigned, NE 2-46-23-4, on July 19, 1923:

Black Gelding, star on forehead, 7 years old, weight about 1250, no visible brand.

Bay Gelding, star on forehead, left hind foot white, 4 years old, weight about 1200, no visible brand.

Dark Bay Gelding, strip down forehead, both hind feet white, aged 3 years, weight about 900, branded K on right shoulder.

Bay Mare, 10 years old, weight 1150, branded K on right shoulder, also V (joined at top) on left hip.

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Alvin Johnson, poundkeeper, R.2, Wetaskiwin. Phone 1004. 19-2in.

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REWARD—The undersigned will pay a suitable reward for information as to the whereabouts of two young Durac Jersey pigs which left the premises east of Wetaskiwin about July 5th. M. E. Klenke (Alberta Music Store), Wetaskiwin. 19-1in.

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GOOD OREGON FARM FOR EXCHANGE—48 acres, all under cultivation, 7-room house, good barn and outbuildings; fruit, garden and crop; only 4 miles from town, 1/2 mile to school. Will exchange for farm in Wetaskiwin district. L. H. Newville, Box 615, Wetaskiwin. Phone 140. E. A. Strout Farm Agency. 19-2in.

### For Rent

FOR RENT—Office rooms in the Empire Block. Apply to Loggie & Manley, Wetaskiwin. 25-1in.

### NOTICE

In the Estate of JOHN DINNEY, late of the Village of Millet, in the Province of Alberta, Postmaster, Deceased. NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named JOHN DINNEY, who died on the 25th day of May, A.D. 1923, are required to file with Macdonald & Day, Edmonton, Solicitors for the Executrix, by the 10th day of September, A.D. 1923, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Executrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge.

DATED This 25th day of July, A.D. 1923.

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(Solicitors for the Executrix),  
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Edmonton, Alta.

Any householder having old linen (white preferred) on hand, kindly leave at hospital, as it can be used for poulticing, etc.

## AMAZING FACTS GIVEN BY MRS. RUTH THORNTON

"Since taking Tanlac I've regained the thirty-five pounds I lost while sick and five months' bed-ridden," declared Mrs. Ruth Thornton, 717 Assumption St., Windsor, Ont.

"At the time I got Tanlac a case of the 'flu' had brought me down to where I was a shadow of my former self, and so weak I could hardly walk across the floor. My stomach caused me more misery than words can tell. My nerves were so completely unstrung I just decreed to go to bed, for I couldn't sleep. Even to sweep the floor was a burden to me.

### ACROSS CANADA WITH C. W. N. A.

As intimated in last week's issue we will make some reference to our trip to the maritime provinces during the next few weeks. The editor and wife left on the morning of June 10 for Toronto, Ontario, where we joined a party of nearly two hundred weekly newspaper men and their wives, who were conveyed to the east by a special train. We were away from home about five weeks and during that time not a thing transpired to interfere with our plans and our pleasure.

We had a very educational and delightful trip throughout, and the memories of the beautiful scenery, the neatly kept towns and cities, and above all, the heartiest hospitality which was accorded us on every land will long be cherished.

We went east on the Trans-Canada, the C.P.R. fast train, making the trip from Wetaskiwin to Toronto in about sixteen hours' actual travel. The coaches on this de luxe train are very comfortable, the meals were very tasty and well served, and the service throughout was excellent. We have no hesitation in recommending the Trans-Canada to anyone desiring a fast and comfortable trip to the east.

As we were speeding eastward through the prairies we were greatly impressed with the great possibilities of a crop in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. There was sufficient moisture in evidence everywhere and we felt sure the west would "come into its own" this summer. And on our return trip we were convinced that the west would have a bumper crop this year.

As soon as we reached the Union station at Toronto, where the trip actually started, it was plain that the railways intended to do us proud. Perhaps never a Canada had a better train started out. The C.P.R. were our hosts on the going part of the journey. Their train consisted of seven of the very finest standard sleeping cars, one compartment observation car, two of the finest dining cars, two baggage cars and a sleeper for the help. We were told that the porters and waiters were specially selected for the trip. Mr. W. B. Howard, general tourist manager of the C.P.R., accompanied the party to Halifax, and met us again for the run into Quebec, and only left us when we were all ready for bed on the last night at Montreal. He had with him a staff of publicity men of the great railway and all manner of mechanics to make sure that everything would be all right. Mr. Howard made a great host. We left the C.P.R. train at St. John, N.B., and went the rest of the way to Halifax by the good ship Empress across the Bay of Fundy and by Dominion Atlantic railway to Halifax.

When ready to leave Halifax we found a Canadian National train ready for us, made up exactly like the C.P. that had brought us down, so that each person had the same number of car and berth that he had on the C.P.R. The Canadian National Bulletin says in part:

"The special hearing the delegates on this tour is composed of the best equipment the Canadian National Railways can furnish. Seven standard sleepers of the most modern design furnish the sleeping accommodation, with the addition of a fine compartment observation car such as are in use on all transcontinental trains. Two modern standard diners with special crews are attached and every effort is being made to cater efficiently.

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(To be continued)

Don't forget the big baseball tournament at the Fair.

### MULHURST

Mulhurst was visited with two hail storms last week, one on the 15th and the other Friday night, the latter being a little milder. The first rendered the crops a total loss. This storm appears to have taken the same course as last year, but it is a month earlier. It surely is a destructive agent and can take money out of the farmer's pocket quicker than any other agent that visits us. Quite a number of acres seeded with registered Ruby wheat and Banner oats were beaten down with the other grain.

Mrs. G. W. Mulligan departed on the Saturday midnight train to visit her mother at Merila. It is twenty years since she bid her mother and other friends in good old Ontario goodbye. The friend wishes her a safe journey and a pleasant time, which she has well earned, and may she return to Pigeon Lake in the near future without misfortune.

Mrs. H. S. Jones of Lewisville is visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. W. Oulmette.

Mrs. Walcott, Mrs. Dorothy Walcott and Mrs. Mary of Millet occupied the Peterson and Moan cottages on B. W. Oulmette's place.

Mr. N. Lucas and Miss Nellie Jones had a promenade on the beach on Sunday while visiting the Mulhurst merchant.

Mulhurst is sure sporty. They are going in strong for joy rides. There have been four cars bought recently. G. H. Mulligan, B. W. Oulmette, S. Priestly and Albert Knight have all invested.

The correspondent had the pleasure of shaking hands with Dr. Thredgold, Mr. Mooney, Mr. Stubs and others from Leduc last Sunday. Mr. Milton of Millet was quite prominent with a car of young ladies, although at times you could just see him and that was all.

There is some effort being made to have our annual picnic at Pigeon Lake on August 15th. If it matures there will be more particulars next issue. The backwaters were quite conspicuous on the beach last week.

Mr. Dowler has leased a number of lots at reasonable rates.

Miss R. Stirling has gone north to visit her parents, having just finished teaching a successful term at the Spring Hill school.

Donnie Glen is sending their pupils to the Spring Hill school to be educated for the current year, using a van. Mr. S. Priestly being the smiling and capable conductor. He has a new van now which makes much better time and does not have to back up the hill any more.

## HAD A WEAK HEART FOR THREE YEARS ALSO VERY NERVOUS

Miss Jessie Peterson, Zealandia, Sask., writes:—"I wish to let you know how much good Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills have done for me."

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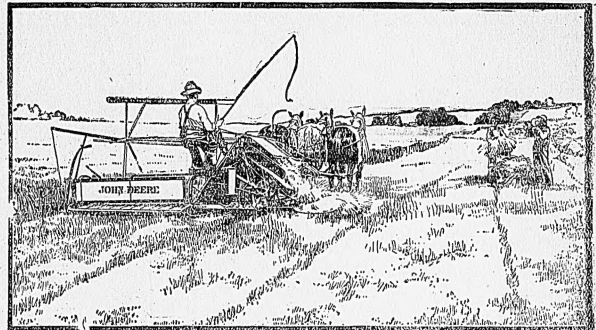
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The secretary-treasurer of Spring Hill district made a mistake and struck six mills on the dollar instead of seven, but there does not seem to be any mistake in the remittance. The taxes are coming in very slow. Pigeon Lake is being well patronized now. Mr. B. W. Oulmette's beach is being occupied by a large number from Millet, and the young ladies of Leduc have camped in the old Howley store, which has been repaired for their comfort.

Mr. F. Dowler has completed a fine bungalow and has disposed of some lots. Mr. Inglis of Millet has the corner and is occupying it at present. There is plenty of space left yet, and the roads are good to this part of Pigeon Lake. Why not visit the north end?



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## CAMROSE EXHIBITION

JULY 26th — JULY 28th

GOING DATES—July 25th to July 27th, and July 28th for trains arriving Camrose before 2.00 p.m.

RETURN LIMIT—July 30th, 1923.

INFORMATION AND TICKETS

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Ticket Agent

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Wetaskiwin



## Buffalo Once More To Provide For Humanity

History repeats itself we are told, and this contention is confirmed by an unusual exhibit which is found in the horticultural display at the Edmonton exhibition. Fifty years ago, the buffalo in western Canada supplied man with everything he needed. Buffalo meat was an every day dish. The buffalo hides made coats and robes which defied the coldest blast winter could produce. Pemican was the mainstay of the pioneer venturing into the wilderness and of the Indian already there. But as the years passed, passed also the buffalo until few people entertained the hope of ever again tasting buffalo

meat. Now the pendulum has swung back and though we may not anticipate a daily fare of buffalo steak or pemican, it will be shortly granted us to try out the toothsome meat of the monarch of the plains—if we so desire.

The dominion government is going to have a buffalo hunt on a large scale this autumn. It has decided that the buffalo in the Watnwright park are becoming too numerous and will declare war on a portion of the herd. Two thousand of the eight thousand buffalo now in the park are to fall before the bows and arrows of the white man or whatever weapon is deemed suitable for his slaughter. The animals killed will be reincarnated in the form of buffalo robes, pemican, and dried buffalo meat while two thousand buffalo heads will adorn (?) the walls of its many homes and public buildings. And the government hopes to add \$100,000 to its coffers as a result of this big slaughter of the innocents.

Red Deer, July 20.—Fire of mysterious origin was discovered at 1:30 this morning in the old creamery building west of the C.P.R. tracks, which has not been in use for the last 18 months. The building was practically gutted before the fire was finally subdued, the roof of the western wing falling in. The property belongs to the City of Red Deer. The fire must have been smoldering all of yesterday, the smell of smoke having been noticed at the power house, one hundred yards distant, though no one was able to locate its origin.

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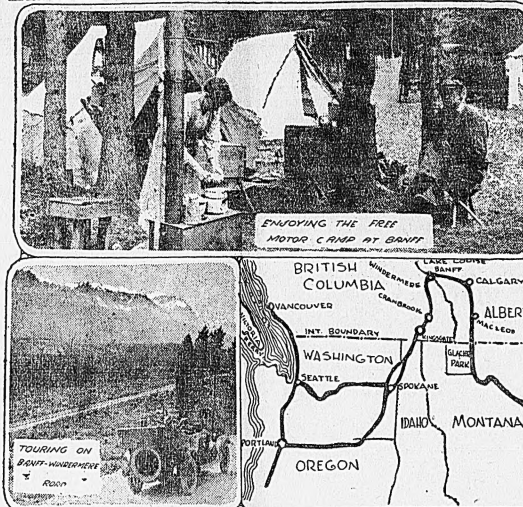
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Ticket Agent

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## LINKING CANADA AND THE STATES



THE automobile has become a national institution for transcontinental touring and in United States five million persons last year are recorded as having whirled from one national park to another. Boston to the Pacific Coast by motor is getting to be as casual as train travel. With a camp outfit tied to the running boards and a few additional auto parts, the motorists are able to dress in their sports clothes, throw care to the wind and search out Nature with the help of a little gasoline. Hotels are only used on bath nights, as the chief fun is to pitch the tent in the open and cook over a camp fire, or, as is the case throughout the West, over specially built camp stoves established in the open places. Rustic camps are also placed in most of the national parks

where motorists may rest for a few days or weeks in cabins rented at a moderate price and within a short walk of a community house and dining hall.

The Canadian Pacific Rockies are this year to be opened to all such motor tourists, for the Canadian Government in co-operation with the Canadian Pacific Railway, has completed the Banff-Windermere automobile road which throws open Banff, Lake Louise and Windermere Valley to motorists.

Bungalow camps are being planned at convenient and beautiful points to accommodate just such travel in addition to the regular travel which comes by rail. The new road will be formally opened on June 30th and will permit the whole tide of motor traffic up and down the Pacific Coast to travel from San Diego to Portland,

thence up the Columbia Highway to Spokane and so on, through the Canadian border, up the Windermere Valley, through the Canadian Pacific Rockies, to the famous resorts of Banff and Lake Louise. From Lake Louise the motorist may go to the Valley of Ten Peaks and Moraine Lake. This is entirely new country for the autoist approaching from the West, although the road from the East, Calgary to Lake Louise, through Banff, has been in operation two years. The connecting of this link makes it possible for motorists from the East to tour all the National Parks of the United States and visit those in the Canadian Pacific Rockies as well. The roads from one end of the country to the other are generally excellent. The cost of such motor trips is cheaper than staying at home, say the motor tourists.

## Edmonton Weekly News Bulletin

Issued by the Publicity Commissioner, government buildings, Edmonton, Friday, July 20, 1923.

Courses for School Fair Winners

Short courses for school fair winners were held from July 9 to 14, at the agricultural schools at Olds and Claresholm. These short courses were started last year for the boy and girl winners in each school fair district, and the plan was enlarged this year to courses at both Olds and Claresholm. The course at Olds this year included the school fair centres of Olds and Claresholm and the winners in 32 fair districts attached to these centres participated in the course. At Claresholm the winners in 31 school fair districts participated. At Olds there were 106 students and at Claresholm 62 students. The boys and girls enjoyed the courses exceedingly. The courses covered lectures and demonstrations in horticulture, field crops, livestock, carpentry and domestic science. Proper provision for recreation was made, and evenings' entertainments included motion pictures provided by the department of agriculture, which were both instructive and entertaining. Another course will be held during the week of July 23.

Rye Harvest in Progress  
The cutting of rye is in progress in the southern part of the province. This crop will be rather lighter this year than last, but there are some heavy stands in some fields.

Southern Wool Clip  
It is estimated that the wool clip of southern Alberta camps this year will total \$50,000 pounds. Some of it has been disposed of at 34 cents.

Highways Board Tour Province  
Members of the provincial highway commission, will tour southern portions of the province the coming week to locate definite routes for certain main highways.

Neglected Children Conference  
The annual conference of the department of neglected children and mothers' allowances will be held in Lethbridge on July 23, 24 and 25, when several prominent speakers will be present.

Visitors to Province  
Among the visitors to the government buildings during the past week were Charles Wright, honorary secretary of the British Passenger Agents association, who is gathering information for the benefit of tourist and settlers from the old country, and Mr. Weymouth, editor of "Farm Life" published in Indiana, who is collecting material for articles on various branches of the farming industry in western Canada.

Prosecute Produce Merchants  
The department of agriculture will

commence prosecution shortly of those produce merchants who have not applied for or taken out licenses under the provisions of the Produce Merchants Act.

Coal Conference

The conference on coal rates from Alberta to Ontario was held the past week in Edmonton and was attended by C. A. Macgillivray, chairman of the Canadian Fuel Board; Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National railways; D. C. Coleman, western vice president of the C.P.R.; Premier Greenfield, H. Stutchbury, and A. Chard of the provincial government, and a number of operators and others. The question of a rate to the Ontario market that would put Alberta coal in the east on a competitive basis with the American product was considered. An agreement was reached by the railway officials to give a special rate on a certain limited quantity for experimental purposes. An announcement will be made shortly in this connection by Premier Greenfield.

Tar Sands for Pavements

Great interest has been attached to the experiments being carried on during the past week at the Edmonton exhibition grounds to establish the feasibility of the tar sands from McMurray for road making purposes. At the exhibition grounds a strip of pavement was laid, the raw tar sands being used for the purpose just as they were taken from the ground. A crushed gravel base was laid, and on top of this a mixture of from 50 to 75 per cent crushed gravel, with the heated tar sands were rolled on, and appeared to make a very satisfactory road.

Another set of experiments is being carried on at the University. In these experiments the tar is being extracted from the tar sands, and then mixed with different classes of road material. The object of this is to establish the feasibility of successfully extracting the tar from the sands, which would eliminate the necessity of paying freight on the sand from McMurray. Both appear to be successful, but some further time will be required to establish their permanent success.

If the experiments prove that the tar sands can be used successfully for road making, the cost of road pavement in the province will be greatly reduced. The officials of the provincial government, as well as of the cities of the province are watching the results with considerable interest, as it concerns the development of one of Alberta's best resources.

## PUMPKINVILLE

Last year I stopped at Pumpkinville, while touring in the west; the people there showed kindly skill in caring for a guest. I found the Hasbancmen's Hotel a pleasant place to stay; the room was clean, they fed me well, the bill was quite O.K. The citizens were glad to greet the corner to their town; they hoped its praises he'd repeat, and spread its fair renown. And ever since I've told my friends that it's a decent place; my praise of Pumpkinville ascends, as we road it race. And people come to me and say: "Your counsel filled the bill; we landed on a summer day, in good old Pumpkinville. They are a cordial bunch of guys, who do that grad infest; they fed us on the choicest pies, and all things were the best. And now we tell our friends the tale we lately heard from you; they'll seek that village in the vale, and find the story true. Oh, Pumpkinville has many charms that should inspire a poem; she welcomes guests with open arms, and makes them feel at home." Such advertising is the best that any town can gain; to skin the tourist and the guest is neither safe nor sane. —Walt Mason.

Under the impact of crop prospects western business sentiment is steadily growing more cheerful, according to the fortnightly report of the Union Bank of Canada. The crop continues to make rapid progress. It is as yet too early to forecast the yield, but the generally bountiful harvest now in promise makes it clear that a great influx of labor will be needed to handle the coming crop, the report states. This report is based on returns from 194 sections, which, with the exception of local hail damage, are distinctly favorable.

## It's Nice To Eat Anything You Like AND NOT HAVE HEARTBURN

In the case of heartburn there is a gnawing and burning pain in the stomach attended by a disturbed appetite, caused by the general acidity, as when too much food is taken it is liable to ferment and become extremely sour, vomiting occurs, and what is thrown up is sometimes sour and bitter.

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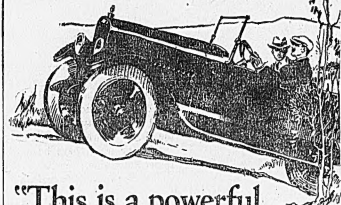
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of registered seed in the province,

which is a great increase in the past

two years.

## RESUME OF EVENTS AND LEGISLATION ENACTED BY PARLIAMENT DURING PAST YEAR, AS THEY AFFECT AGRICULTURE

Ottawa, July 19.—An effort has been made, not altogether disinterested parties, to belittle the net results of the recent session of parliament.

Speaking more particularly with respect to agriculture, I may say that I cannot recall any session of parliament since Confederation that passed more beneficial legislation on behalf of agriculture than the one recently prorogued. True, five months was a long time to spend in performing the work but that is one of the prices we must pay for groups in parliament, all of whom have to have their say.

A number of acts have been passed such as "An act to amend and consolidate the Acts respecting Live Stock" and "An act to regulate the sale and inspection of fruit and fruit containers" which can be merely referred to here as containing very important and up to date legislation in their respective fields. The same may be said of the amendments to the feeding stuffs act, and the dairy industry act, the latter of which provides for the prohibition of the manufacture and importation of filled but, filled milk and filled cream—three pernicious practices that have quietly but persistently established a foothold in Canada to the great detriment of the dairy industry.

In addition to this important legislation affecting one of our chief corner stones of Canadian agriculture—dairying—was the fight to a finish during the last session on the question of whether the prohibition of the manufacture and importation of Oleo would be again returned to, as it existed for thirty years prior to 1917. By a non-party vote of fifty-four to one hundred and twenty-five, Oleo, for the time being received a solar plexus blow that will take some recovering from. Nothing daunted, however, the packers' professional lobbyist was an anxious eagerer action on the corridors the week following the vote, coupled with a view to renewing the battle at some later date.

The report of Dairy Commissioners J. A. Buddick and W. A. Wilson of their return from New Zealand and Australia, coupled with all the legislation on behalf of the dairy industry, makes the last session of parliament an outstanding one, so far as the dairy industry of Canada is concerned.

Although the removal of the British Embargo on Canadian cattle did not require legislative action on the part of the Canadian parliament, it did on the part of the Imperial government, which was the outcome of a conference between the Imperial and Canadian authorities—hence, properly referred to in this article as one of the advanced steps taken on behalf

of agriculture during the past year.

The removal of the British embargo against Canadian cattle has had a greater direct result in improving the farmers' market than any other single move that has been accomplished during the past few years.

Canada was in the unfortunate position of being largely shut out of the only two available markets for her live cattle—the American tariff and the British embargo accomplishing this end.

An agitation has been carried on both in Britain and Canada for a number of years for the removal of the embargo, and a great many people on both sides of the water have given valuable assistance in this effort, and not a few of them claim that the removal of the embargo is entirely due to their efforts. But to say that a great many people helped in bringing this about, is much nearer the truth of the matter.

For the last two or three years, while it was generally expected that the embargo would be ultimately removed, it was of vital interest to the business of raising cattle in Canada, that it should be removed quickly, and the delay was not only disappointing, but it was ruinous to the cattle business. The present Canadian government not only acted very promptly, but effectively, in this matter, and when the ministers of the government and the officials of the department of agriculture entered into a conference with the members of the British government and members of the British ministry of agriculture, they had a very difficult task on their hands. They accomplished something, however, of real importance for the Canadian farmer when they came to a satisfactory settlement of the case, which as a matter of fact, was only concluded the morning after the Lloyd George government had resigned.

A new government took office in Britain, and then for a time it looked like another year's delay. A special session of the new parliament was called in November to pass the Irish bill. The Canadian government pressed to have the legislation removing the embargo enacted at this special session, but the new government argued that it had just taken office, that this session was for a special purpose, and that the embargo legislation should remain in abeyance until the regular session after the first of the year. It was only after repeated and persistent urging on the part of the Canadian government that this question which had been of such long standing was finally solved by the British government passing an act removing the embargo, which

came into effect, April 1st of this year.

There is not a live stock man in Canada but recognizes clearly the tremendous advantage it would have been to have had this market last fall, and what a calamity it would have been were it not available this year.

Mention might also be made of the granting of a certain bounty on twine and cordage made from hemp, for the purpose of establishing a hemp industry in western Canada—a movement well worthy of a moment's consideration.

Canada last year became famous by having arrived at the stage of being the largest exporter of wheat in the world. In the face of this it does not seem a mistake to longer continue to depend upon foreign countries for the twine with which to tie the nine-tenths of this crop. Hemp is a product that can be grown successfully, almost luxuriantly, in many parts of the west and east, with or without irrigation. It grows freely in this country, and should supply unlimited quantities of raw material for the successful establishment of a hemp industry, the future production of which for both home consumption and export no man can estimate. As important as this should be to every western man, strange to say, only three western members supported it.

Following the reduction of freight rates by the restoration of the Crow's Nest Pass agreement, important legislation has been passed designed to control and regulate lake rates, which soared to such alarming proportions last fall.

The personnel and work of the newly appointed Royal Grain Inquiry Commission, presided over by Mr. Justice Targuen, is another indication of the desire of the present government to serve agriculture faithfully and well.

The increase in the estimates of over half a million dollars for the eradication of bovine tuberculosis, twenty-five thousand for further experiments in the exportation of chilled beef and ten thousand for experimentation with the dehydrating of fruit, all speak for themselves and indicate a further desire to grapple with first things first in the solution of Canada's many agricultural problems.

Live stock men generally will greatly appreciate the valuable importation of the various pure bred breeding animals imported and selected personally by Mr. Archibald, director of experimental farms. These animals are intended for distribution among the various experimental farms, from which farmers may replenish their breeding stock to advantage as desired.

A question of more than usual significance to western agriculture was the three-year Canadian National Railway construction program, passed by the house of commons and approved by the country generally, more

particularly by the west. Imagine with what consternation it was learned that the irresponsible, selfish, stepped in and thwarted the will of the people by giving this railway program the six-month hold. As if to add insult to injury, some western senators have the audacity to say (as per senate debates) that the government so enacted this legislation that it would court the disaster that befell it. How false this statement is, nobody knows better than the ones who made it.

Regina, July 20.—Well McLaughlin, farmer, of Harpree, near Baskin, was killed, several buildings were razed to the ground and hundreds of acres of crop were damaged and implements and machinery blown about by a hurricane and hail which hit the Denbigh, Coyle, and Harpree districts Thursday morning between eight and ten o'clock.

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Salt, 14lb sacks, regular 65c, for	50c
Lantern Glasses, each	20c
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Bulk Cocoa, special, 2lbs for	35c
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Clark's Potted Meats, 3 tins for	25c
Pineapple and Apple Jelly 4lb glasses, spec.	\$1.05
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Oval Leaf Salmon, 2 tins	85c
Oval Toilet Paper, special, 5 for	25c
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## TOWN TOPICS

Wetaskiwin Fair, July 30, 31, August 1.

J. D. Cowan made a business trip to Athabasca Landing last week.

Don't forget the big baseball tournament at the Fair.

Harding Asp of Camrose was in the city Tuesday shaking hands with his many old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wiseman left the first of the week to spend a part of the holidays at Banff.

Miss Noden of Provost is spending a few days at Pigeon Lake, the guest of her friend, Mrs. C. D. Smith.

Mrs. W. J. Wilson is spending her vacation as the guest of Mrs. R. C. Switzer at Gull Lake.

A. P. Moun, who was visiting his old home in Prince Edward Island for several weeks, returned home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Jas. Dickson and daughter were at Red Deer during the past week, visiting relatives and taking in the Red Deer exhibition.

The Masons and their wives and families of Wetaskiwin are holding their annual picnic at Pigeon Lake today (Wednesday).

The Norwegian Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Miss G. Ronnle on Friday, July 27. Everybody invited.

The Swedish Mission Friends are arranging to serve dinner on Tuesday and Wednesday of the fair week. Further announcement in next issue.

The ladies of the Mission Friends will serve dinner Tuesday and Wednesday of fair week, also coffee and ice cream, at 106 Pearce street.

The Wetaskiwin Citizens' band intend going to Pigeon Lake on Sunday, July 29th, where they will give a concert for the benefit of the campers and picnickers.

Mrs. W. S. Henderson and daughter Ruth, of Hamilton, Ont., and Miss M. Lawson of Minnedosa, Man., arrived in the city a few days ago to visit their brother, Mr. Thos. Lawson.

About twenty-five boy scouts went Pigeon Lake on Saturday last, where they will be in camp for ten days. The officers in charge are Rev. W. J. James, Mrs. James and Mr. J. G. Griffith.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Swedish Lutheran church will hold an ice cream social on Saturday afternoon next at the Swedish hall, east of Ness & Carlson's garage. Coffee, cake and sandwiches will be served at noon.

D. P. Kellner, M.P. for East Edmonton, arrived in the city a few days ago with his bride. They are spending a few days at the cottage of Mrs. Eli Moore, Pigeon Lake; Mrs. Moore is a sister of Mr. Kellner.

A bazaar will be held under the auspices of the Hospital Aid Society early in November next. Donations will be requested and committees will be appointed to make the occasion a success.

Dr. McColgan reports to The Times that prior to the hall storm last week there was a crab apple tree on the farm of Mr. Scott at Scottville which was loaded so heavily that it had to be propped up. But unfortunately the storm stripped the tree of its fruit.

A real estate deal was put through on Tuesday, when Thos. Steel of Nelson, B.C., purchased the Herman Johnson farm, nine miles east of the city. The deal was handled by the E. A. Strout Farm Agency. Mr. Steel has taken possession and is now making arrangements to harvest the crop.

Mrs. Parلمان of St. Louis, Mo., daughter of F. J. Klaas, arrived in Wetaskiwin last week to spend the summer months under the parental roof. Mrs. Frank Schlegel and son Kenneth, of St. Louis, accompanied her. They report that at no place along the way did they see such good crop prospects as in this district.

A couple of hail storms passed over the district last week and did considerable damage to the crops north of Fulan, Brightview, Wetaskiwin and Gwynne. The storm ranged in width from a couple of miles to six miles. Quite a number of farmers in this area are reporting a total crop loss to the insurance companies.

Curt Smith has greatly improved the appearance of the lot he purchased adjoining the Criterion Apartments on the north. It has been levelled off and a nice lawn is being made, trees have been planted, and part of it has been marked off as a tennis court. It is now one of the beauty spots of town.

## CHERRY GROVE

Mrs. Merrill, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Arnold, for a couple of weeks, left a few days ago, for her home in Elmore, Alberta.

Misses Hazel and Phyllis Rickard, of Calgary, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold.

Harold Switzer is spending the summer at Lake Louise, where he has secured employment with the C.P.R.

Mrs. Amos Doupe and daughter, Adelaide, spent last week in Edmonton, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Doupe.

The district is being improved by Thos. Cherrington, who is erecting a nice bungalow on his farm.

The farmers of this district are rejoicing in the fact that the crops around here are excellent. If the hail keeps away, the best yield on record will be harvested.

## Wetaskiwin Markets

July 25, 1923

No. 1 Northern	33
No. 2 Northern	30
No. 3 Northern	75
No. 4 Northern	70
Rye	33 - 45
Barley	27 - 32
Oats	24 - 32
Sicors	2.00 - 4.00
Cows	2.00 - 3.00
Hogs	7.50
Sheep	5.00
Lamb	10.00
Eggs	13
Batter	17 - 25
Potatoes, new	2c lb.

The Tuxis boys who were camping out at Pigeon Lake broke up camp the end of last week.

What might have been a very serious accident happened to Dr. Gullikson and party as they were motoring home from Edmonton one evening last week. The car slipped off the end of a culvert and was almost turned over, but fortunately no one in the car was injured in the least, and the car was not even scratched.

Mrs. Horace Sampson and her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Sampson, motored up from Montana some days ago and spent last week with the former's cousin, J. F. Rickard. They all went to the Edmonton fair on Thursday. They were delighted with the crops as they passed through the country.

## BUSINESS LOCALS

Wetaskiwin Fair, July 30, 31, August 1.

\*\*\*Is a woman justified in marrying for money? Can she be happy, or is she really bought and paid for. See Agnes Ayres and Jack Holt in "Dought and Paid For" at the Angus Friday and Saturday of this week.

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## METHODIST AND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES

Co-operative services for July and August  
Sunday, July 29  
11 a.m.—"The One Thing Needful." in the Presbyterian church.  
7:30 p.m.—"Seeing the Invisible." in the Methodist church.  
Rev. A. L. Elliott is in charge for July.

## BHIL MISSION

The Bhil Mission annual meeting will be held in the church beginning Friday evening of this week at 8 o'clock, and continuing over Sunday. Saturday meeting at 10:30. Dr. Enoch Hudberg, missionary to India, will address the conference at 2:30 p.m. Also general business.

Sunday, three services, at 10:30, 2 and 8 p.m. Dr. Hudberg will speak in the Swedish Baptist church, Wetaskiwin, on Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

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